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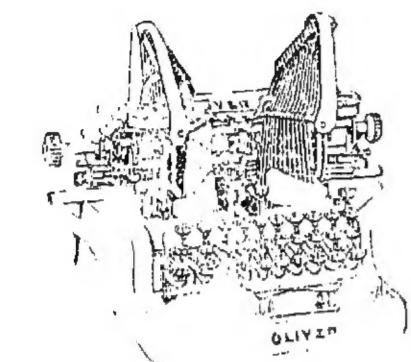
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Hongkong, March 26, 1908.

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> Two members of the Bar were on a motor-bus when it was stopped by a block (Continued on Page 3.)

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General Memoranda.

Friday, April 17:-Exchange Banks Closed. Insurance Offices Closed.

BATURDAY, April 18:-Transfer Books of Green Island Cement Co., Ld., close from this date to 25th April, inclusive. Goods per Headley undelivered after this date subject to rent.

Tuesday, April 21 :-Goods per China undelivered after noon this date subject to rent.

5.15 p.m.—Meeting of Hougkong Club proposal was submitted for the opinion at Club House. Wednesday, April 22:-

THUBBDAY, April 23:-Noon-Meeting of Union Insurance So- Commerce. In reply, the Committee ciety of Canton, Ld., at Head Office, 12.30 p.m .- Meeting of China Traders' Insurance Co., Ld., at Head Office,

SATUBDAY, April 25 :--

11 a.m.—Meeting of Greenbland Cement cient protection against typhoons could month. The Board of War next month. The Board is inclined to regard Co. a Unica. 12.30 p.m.-Meeting of Hongkong Jockey Club, at the Hongkong Club not in a position to criticize so highly

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THE TYPHOON REFUGE.

will take some years to complete and which will serve the Colony for many Inour issue of Saturday we dealt with the financial aspect of the quistion raised commensurate with the present by the proposal of the Government co spend one and a half million dollars in bailding a breakwater at Mong-kok-tsuithat condition is only a temporary one. We propose now to consider the point raised by the Committee of the Chamber of Commerce as to whether so large an expenditure is necessary. It may, percollection of many residents that in haps, be as well for us to gite a general outline of the question for the benefit of those who are not conversat with its signed petition was presented to the details. The Causeway BayBreakwater Government asking for a suspension of built in the early eighties, is the only typhoon shelter available for the vast was not then in a position to carry it on. amount of small craft plying in the The Government, fortunately on this harbour. It has an area of 62 acres occasion, disagreed with the petitioners, Situated as it is at the eastern end of and we all know that the Praya Rethe harbour it is directly to windward clamation has paid for itself over and and therefore difficult of access in the overagain. We are confident that the case of three typhoons out of four, owing to the well-known fact that most of the the provision of an adequate Typhoon typhoons which affect the Colony pass Tai Yeuk Fong to the south of us causing an easterly gale at the beginning of the blow. Constructed over 20 years ago it is only to be expected that it should now be inadequate to meet the requirements of staggers under three rulers. sompidly growing a port as Hongkong. Its inadequacy affects us prejudicially in more ways han one. Not only are asked Mr Kemp the Magistrate to dis. 8th May to 6th July 1908, and to Lieutenboats crowded out and this left to the mercy of the winds and waves, but owing to the fear of being thus crowded a for days ago charged with attempting to out, they leave their work long before the East for Many there is any necessity for them to do so Which seems to suggest laudable ambition and thus cause delay to the dipping in on the part of the members. the harbour and loss to its owners From time to time proposals for addi- 31 says that the Russian authorities have tional typhoon shelters have been put forward. In 1900 the Chamber of Commerce considered the question, and favoured the Kennedytown site, but it was not till the destructive typhoon

of September 18, 1906, had galvanized

the authorities into action that any

definite schemes were got out or reliable

the great depth of water would be very

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Another Sultan has been proclaimed in Morocco. The unhappy country now

the dock at the Magistrate this morning ed to Colonel H. Martin, P.M.O., from charge him if he could not be tried at once.

Two Chinese were arrested in Tientsin found a new secret society called Yu'yı from England yesterday by the French Chico or "Get what you Want Society.

A Vladivostock telegram, dated March carried out domiciliary searches in the residences of Japanese interested in fishery and seized letters and documents. The cause of such Russian official action unknown, but it is alleged that nutherities entertained suspicion as to meeting recently held by these Japanese. The regotiations between Japan and

The Netherlands for the conclusion of a Dated 9th March 1908. treaty regarding the establishment of estimates made, After considering the Consulate in the Datch Indies have been Kennedytown scheme, which owing to conduded at The Hague and the treaty was to be signed on April 2. No foreign Consulate has hitherto been allowed to be costly, and a proposal to build a break- established there, but Japan has now water at the back of Slonecutters instituted its establishment. The Japan-Taland, enclosing the bay known as ese Consulate will be opened in Java.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

There will be no issue of the CHINA Mail on Good Friday. On Easter Monthe Government eventually decided day the paper will be published before noon.

Delay on Calcutta telegrams is now tsui scheme, which consists of building | normal. Bombay telegrams have not been affected by the strike, nor are European tolograms, vin Eastern affected thereby.

A Secul correspondent alleges that the southern end of Yau-ma-ti, to enclose reported illness of the Emperor-Father of Korea may be "diplomatic" to view of the impending return of Resident-General Ito, who, he supposes, will try to persuade him to visit Japan on a pleasure trip.

It has been decided that officers authorised to proceed to Japan for study H. Legget, D.S.O., 2nd Battalion Royal will be attached during six months of their Scots Fusiliers, to proceed to Japan second year to a unit of the Japanese study the language of that country. He of the Committee of the Chamber of Army, and those desirous of it will be will be seconded for two years whilst em granted leave to visit Korea and Manchuria. Ployed in that study. An examination of all military students

be built at much less cost. We are sented by the latter. technical a question as the design of a Mr. L. Gibbs has kindly consented bruskwater but we do hope that no to conduct the members and students of friends on this side of Mr J. R. M. Smith, mistaken ideas of economy will be allowed to step in the way of the pro-

waterworks on Saturday afternoon, April

Blake Pier at 2.15 p.m. sharp. adequate _ not for our present needs only-but with a view to the expan-A Gunner and a Private of the Middle sex Regiment, appeared before Mr Wood at the Magistracy to-day on a charge of world. Surely our Public Works assaulting a native policeman who arreste them on Sunday for stealing a watch. Th Gunner was fined \$2, and the private wa inability to realize the needs of the discharged.

> The Hendquarters Offices will b closed from Friday, 17th instant, to Mon day, 20th instant, both days inclusive, except for business of an argent nature The Schools in Garrison will be closed from Wednesday, 15th instant, to Tuesday, 21st instant, both days inclusive,

row, to be widened later on, where Judgment was given for the plaintiff, Abdoola Khan, by Mr H. H. J. Goinvertz course we are quite aware that the Acting Puisne Judge, at the Supreme a case in which he sued Fazel Ahmed for any but absolutely necessary expenditurel; as we stated in our previous goods supplied.

article if the acheme is susceptible of modification we trust the Government and Colombia, South America, having been Election, speeches, leading articles, and drafted, its text was sent out from Tokye biography. will make such modification, but our on April 1. The Treaty will shortly be Soint is that it would not be in the insigned in Washington by the plenipotenterests of the Colony that a work which | tinties of both countries. It is practically again stated that Vice-Admiral. Sir A. the same as the Treaty with Chile.

was given for defendants on the ground authority. are amply justified in assuming that that they had advertised in the newspapers that the new proprietors would not be responsible for the debts incurred by the A case in point is that of the Praya old proprietors.

tion :- "The white community of British East Africa strongly protest against suggestions which have appeared in leading the work on the ground that the Colony home papers and supported by members of the Home Government, to the effect that this country should be converted into colonial annex to the Indian Empire."

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Leave of absence, on private affairs, Colony may expect a similar return from England, is granted to Major H. de Phillips, R.G.A., from 22nd April to 22nd October 1908.

> It is said that the date of the wedding of Princess Tsune, a daughter of the Japanes Emperor, and Prince Takeda, son of the late General Prince Kitashirakawa, h been fixed for April 27th.

Leave of absence, on private affairs, to A coolie who was awaiting his trial in the neighbouring countries, has been grantant H.E. Large, 3rd Middlesox Regiment, from 28th April to 30th June 1908.

> H. H. the Rajah of Samwak arrived mail steamer Australien says the "Singapero Free Press" of April 7. His Highness went on board his ynoht the Zahora which was lying in the roads.

The following extract is from "London Gazette" dated March 10, 1908; the Duke of Cambridge's own (Middlesex Regiment) - Captain John H. Hall to be Major, vice O.R. Dyer. promoted. Dated 17th Feb. 1908. Supernumerary Captain same time to remit sufficient to meet the Samuel H. Hingley to be Captain, vice J. H. Hall. Dated 47th February 1908. demands from Peking, but Peking replied Lieutenant Douglas C. Owen to be that it would not like to establish a pre-Adjutant, vice Captain H. P. F. Bicknell. cedent and the matter was dropped. Now. the Provincial Treasurer has to look some where to get \$400,000, which is the amount.

GET A BOTTLE TO DAY. WOLIC, pains in the stomach, and diar-For sale by all chemists and storekeepers, bear the entire cost.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Surgeon A. La T. Darloy has been posted to the naval hospital, Hongkong, on transfer from the battleship Bulwark, Home Floot.

Mr H. E. Fulford, C.M.G., H.B.M.'s Consul-General at Mukden, has arrived in London after making a stay en route with Mrs Fulford and children in Ceylon.

Lieutenant-Colonel A. Scott-Elliot Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders, has been promoted brevet-colonel on completing three years in command of the 1st Bat-

Shnetion has been given for Captain A The Douglas steamer Haitan (Capt. J.

Roach) from Foochow, Amoy and who have returned from Europe and Japan Swatow arrived this morning having had a will be held by the Board of War next fine voyage, with log between Amoy and the European students as more efficient Swatow. On the way from Swatow than those from Japan, which is hotly re. Hongkong the weather was fine and clear, with an overast sky.

Says the "L. and C. Express":-The the Hongkong Branch of the Royal chief manager of the Hongkong and Sanitary Institute over the Kowloon Shanghai Banking Corporation, wished him every happiness and prosperity on 12th 18th. The party will start by launch from March on the occasion of his marriage to Miss Sander that day in Hongkong.

> Major H. W. E. Finch, 2nd Battallon Middlesex Regiment, has been selected for the appointment of No. 10 District, Hounslow, vice Captain E. Evans, D.S.O., Wiltshire Rogiment. Major Finch has had over 17 years' military experience, and thought I saw these doughty "braves," has had previous experience of staff duties.

The vacant unjority in the gallant "Dieharda" has been filled by the advancement of Captain J. H. Hall, of the 2nd Battalion, Guernsey, to field rank. Major Hall reaches his new grade after a service of a little over 16 years, as he got his first commission in November, 1891, and for sleep I struggled to rouse myself, and the past eight years he was a company

Mr Arthur Du Cros, the recently elected Court Lo-day in Summary Jarisdiction, is M.P. for Hastings, is being sued in the Official Referee's Court by Mr Frank 891.34, being balance of money lent and Harris, a well known literary man, and guineas for having written for Mr Du Cros,

The "L, and C, Express" says? It is Moore, the Commander in-Chief of the China Sqadron, who will arrive home early Hoosain Ali and Co., of 25 Queen's in April, will take over the command more years should be designed on lines Road Central sucd Chee San and Co. at the Channel Fleet early in May. The low the Supreme Court to day for \$25.95 for statement is not new; but the present goods supplied and delivered. Judgment explicitness lends it some show of

An entertaining concert was given in the Seamon's Institute, Kowloon, last night, in aid of the funds of the Institute. Mr and Mrs E. G. Jordan arranged the programme and secured the co-operation The "Times" has received from the of Captain and Miss Parke, Misses M. and secretary of the Colonists' Association of D. Chunyut, Messre Genzales, Chapple, British East Africa at Nairobi a copy of the Gogg and Browne, the latter acting as 1893, in the thick of our last great following resolution, which was passed at accompanist. The various items were well commercial depression, un influentially, the annual general meeting of the Associal received, encores being the rule rather than the exception, and the collection at the end of the concert realised an acceptable sum. The sitendance was large.

> There is no more popular Princess Europe, says the "World," of March 11, than the younger daughter of the Duke of Connaught, known among her intimates as Princes "Patsy." Talland very pretty, Princess Patricia, whose birthday is on Tuesday next, strongly resembles her mother in appearance. In disposition is very cheery and full of fun. In fact, when Princess Patricia and her brother, Prince Arthur (also wonderfully full of twelve" life and spirits) get together, things go very merrily indeed. The three children of the Duke of Connaught are devoted to one another and, whenever possible, Princess Patricia delights in paying visit to the Crown Princess of Swedenat her home in Stockholm.

THE CANTON BUDGET. Tremendous Deficit.

(From Our Correspondent.)

CANTON, April 12.

Viceroy Chang, has evidently a difficult task before him in financial matters. It line been estimated that the various now indomnities to be paid by Canton annually amount to an aggregate sum of \$2,000,000 to say nothing of the portion of the General Indemnity for which Kunngtung is held the liable. The Viceroy has on more than one occasion monorialised the Throne setting forth the position. "It has been pointed out how impossible it is for the province to liquidate its own liabilities and at the

rhoes are not only painful, but may consider the treatment of soldiers invalided to be yet discovered. Monwhile the Nonindicate a serious disorder. Chamberlain's for tuberculosis recommend that 200 beds Com. regarded the things a joke, and the Colle, Cholers and Diarrhosa Remedy Be maintained in civil sanatoris for the deception as admirable unless it were relieves promply and ourse permanently. treatment of army patients, the State to discovered.

of the deficit.

CHINESE SOLDIERS.

Reports announce that the Chinese army is being reconstructed and that to-day the men enlisted in the ranks are trained in the use of arms, and are inoculated with a new spirit of devotion to the welfare of their country and their country's glory. European adepts watch the autumn manoeuvres of the Chinese army and write glowing accounts of the "smart appearance" and "general intelligence" of the new recruits, and report that, after they have been "ironed out," according to the most approved pattern of the German warrior, they will be a power to be dreaded. Vaticinations, more or less reseate, are indulged in, which imply that should Ohina "arise and shake herself from the dust" to avenge the wrongs and insults of the last generation, which culminated when the detenations of the twenty one gens announced that the Tatsu Maru II was free to depart whither her charter demanded, nations would act wisely not to

In view of all this, and something more of the same nature, it is somewhat disappointing to the supporters of Chins to find that here, as in nuny other spheres of life, "things are not what they seem," and that some parts of the said army at least do not reach the ideal, that has been dreamt of by whole-hearted partisans of China. On a Chinese launch, recently, I slept, and dreamed of the greatnessof China's army and the valour and discipline of her soldiers. There were eight of them on the said launch that towed the passage boat. The mosquitoes hadeffectually driven sleep far from my cyclids on the previous night, and with the eight "braves" around me-though called by a new name but "what's in a name "?--protecting me, why should I not sleep! I after they had expeditiously filled themselves with coarse rice sit down to gamble, Rifles had been provided; also helts crammed full of cartridges - for robbers were supposed to lurk in secret places. Yet these "braves" crouched on their heels around a sail, which did duty for a tablecloth, and gamblel for hours. In my rebuke them for this dereliction of duty-But a voice seemed to whisper "wait," So the bours passed. We, at last, ploughed the muddy water of the Canton delta. No robbers appeared. After a time another vision crossed my half alert mind. The throbbing editor of "Vanity Fair," who claims 300 engines stopped and presently the passage boat came alongside the launch and both The Commercial Treaty between Japan during his candidature at the General were lashed together, in order to enter the nearer waters of the famous city of many smells. Then, behold, I saw in my dream that the "braves" arise as one man, grasp their rifles with overflowing courage, and threw their belts, full of bullet-tipped cartridges, over their shoulders. But at this time we were nearing the city, and had passed quite through the zone of robbers why then this exhibition of munly

> Then is my sleep I spoke to the corporal, who were no belt, neither did he grasp any rifle. "Why these elaborate preparations now"? His reply was somewhat aniusing, yet withal somewhat disappointing to those who pin their faith to discipline of the Chinese Army, Ho raplied "The "braves" clothe themselves an their war apparel and seize their rides and revolvers now, because the passenger bont has come alongside of the launth, when each passenger chy sees for himself that the "braves" are slert and fierce. When we started in the morning, it was dark, and no one could ascertain what went on. - Whilst we towed the passage boat, the distance between the two was too great for the passengers to detect us. The passengers pay that the soldiers may protect them, and indeed they are compelled to pay by the local officials." "Ah, I see," I replied. The answer seemed to the corporal to be touched with satire, and therefore he smiled with a somewhat uncertain expression of countoionce. He added "After all what can be ex octed for seren dollars per month ! That is a soldier's wages. They get no more. I receive but

In my dream I saw a "brave" standing near me. He looked very ferocious, with musket in one hand and revolver in the other, and his belt of cartridges thrown across his shoulder. My friend the corporal added "Do you see that man? His uniform is provided by the Emperor; but look, there are big holes in the pantaloons, so that the man himself has been compelled to buy an inner pair in order that he may keep himself warm. The Emperor's pants are full of holes, and the wind whistles through; the man's own are entire. Can you expect him to carry his musket and wear his belt of cartridges a whole day, when he only receives seven dollars per month from the Emperor, and a pair of pants that are full of holes? I toll you, Sir, it can't be done." At this juncture the launch and the passage heat justled together tremendously, and I awoke. I looked round to ascertain whether my droam was a reality or a phantom. It was indeed a vision of what had transpired - at least there beside me stood the brave " with his pants decorated with a narrow strip of cheap red braid, and full of holes. He cortainly looked floree and tremendous with his belt of curtridges, his rifle and revolver-but it was all for show-It. was certain then that my dream but imprinted upon my own mind an exact copy of what had transpired during the day, and so the passengers are compelled to pay that each launch may be encumbered with eight strong men, who sleep and gamble hour after hour, and only fulfil their duty, when the opportunity has passed and watch at their posts when the need for watchfulness no longer oxists. It is true that by the course followed the passengers are hood winked, and lulled into a sense of false security, by the apparent alertness of their guard of "braves." What would have The War Office Committee appointed to happened had pirates visited us, remains

FARMAN OUTDONE.

WONDERFUL AEROPLANE RECORD.

(Recht ive Service, supplied by Reuter. via Bombay.)

LONDON, April 13.

From Paris it is reported that M. de la Grange has excelled M. Farman's record in aerial flight.

M. de la Grange flew 3,925 metres in six and a half minutes -a record.

[M. Farman's aeroplane in March flew a distance of 12 miles at a height of 6 motres. travelling thrice round a stated course, and finally making a gentle descent-En., C. M.]

OUR FRENCH FRIENDS.

BANQUET AT PARIS.

(W. Levice Sarv's supplied by Router, rie Hambery

LONDON, April 13

The members of the French Ministry were ontertained last night at aban the given by the British Chamber .. Commerce at Paris

The proceedings were warked with the almost anthusingm and most ver. 1: appearance were under he de to modice of each country

THE OPIUM CRUSADE

IMPORTANT APPOINTMENT

(Chiana Mart - Sarrice)

Printed April 13 A Special Commission, comprising

Prince I'm Wei, Ministers La Charan Line King Seng, and Ting Chin Tole, of opium anoking The Commission is known as the Ministry for the Unshibition of Opinion The Imperiod Police which organies this Minister direct the Ministers to submit, for approval of the Throne within three months the exeton with which the exclusion is to be enforced.

A separate department will be created to deal with matters relating to the opium question exclusively. The Edict orders the immediate appropriation of Tack 30,000 from the revenue derived from the native drugs, for preimmary expenses, and the annual expense for this department is fixed at Taels 60,000,

REUTER'S SERVICE. THE "TIGER" DISASTER. Result of Court-Martial.

LONDON, April 12. Tiger disaster experates the crews of the Tiger and Berwick and attributes the disaster to the Tiger inexplicably altering her course,

POLITICAL APPOINTMENTS.

LONDON, April 12. Sir Henry Fowler and Mr Churchill have resigned their seats, on promotion to the Peerage and the Board of Trade respectively. Other posts remain unchanged.

Mr Morley has accepted a peerage, but returns to the India Office.

THE KAISER AT CORFU.

LONDON, April 12. The Kniser has reviewed an Anglo-Greek fleet at Corfu.

THE UNITED STATES PRESIDENCY.

LONDON, April 12. The New York State Republican Convention has endorsed President Roosevelt's policy, and recommended Mr Hughes as a candidate for the Presidence; the Convention favours an early revision of the Tariff.

DON'T NEGLECT A COLD.

You may have done so many times before, some uniformity in the kit, and a little and yet the very next cold may develop trouble taken on the part of these attendinto pneumonia. You cannot always tell ing various functions to find out what the the condition of your system, and it is orders are as regards dress, or else the better to take precaution than to risk this Volunteers will have to diseard the motto dangerous disease Chamberlain's Cough they at present hear on their crosts,-Remedy will promptly cure your cold and Yours, etc., leave your system in a healthy condition. For sale by all chemists and atorokeepers.

OUTRAGE IN GALICIA.

THE GOVERNOR SHOT.

(Exclusive Service, supplied by Renter, via Bombay.)

LONDON, April 12. A tragedy has occurred at Limburg, one of the principal towns in the

Province of Galicia in Austria-Hungary. A man secured an audience with Count Potocki, the Governor of the Province, and, before the by-standers could interfere, shot at and killed him.

THE CANTON VICE-ROYSHIP.

VANG SHIH HSIANG SUGGESTED.

(himsen Migl'a Service)

Praise, April 12. A suggestion has been readeby high officials here to transfer Yang Shih

Hsiang Vicerca of Chihli Pravince to

(Yang Shih Hsing is a ratice of Anhui and, my : Who's Who in the Par Fast, was nude a Taotai in June 1901. He was ande a Judge in Child in October 1902 sessioned Acting Governor of Shantung in James 1905, and Military Governor of Kirin it Murch 1908 Recently be because · · · · · Chihli }

MOPIALITY STATISTICS

At the Sanitary Board meeling this afternoon the Medality Statistics were laid on the table. The death rate for the week ended 21st March for the British and foreign community, was 15.8 per 1,000 as against 32.8 in the corresponding week of last year, and for the whole Colony 21.6 per 1,000 as against 21.9 in the corresponding week of last year. For the week onded 28th March British and foreign has been appointed to sleal exclusively community, 15.8 per 1000 as compared Colony and the matter came before the with 8.2 per 1000 in the corresponding meeting of the Sanitary Board this afterin matters relating to the prohibition | week of last year, and for the whole Colony 22.1 as against 15.8 in the corresponding work of last year

THE KUN YAM SHAN MURDER,

Case in Court

The flace men Wong Chan Kwai, Tso Nan Fat and Wong Sam Ho, who were arrested on suspicion of being concerned in the nurder of lak Sang; Wong Sam Shau and Wong Ting Est alias Wong Kan Chai at the begaining of December 1907, were again brought up before Mr Mr F. B. L. Bowley the Crown

Komp at the Magistracy this afternoon. Solicitor appeared for the prosecution and Mr S. Dixon defended. In opening the case for the Crown Mr

Bowley said that the murdered man Luk Sang, was formerly a ship's steward and having accumulated a little money settled down near Kowloon as a geomanier, or inother words, one who looked after graves. One of the prisoners Wong Chan Kwai was also a geometricer and resented the intrusion of Luk Sang, as he said if any graves wanted looking after he could do that Luk Sang it appeared was arranging about a grave and some trouble arose with Wong Chan Kwai who said: "You might select your grave, but your head will drop off within seven days," Soon The Naval Court Martial on the after Luk Sang went out to see after the grave in question. Having asked his wife for some money she gave him \$30. H had also in his pocket a small revolver. That was on the night of December I and

he was never seen alive again. The two others Wong Sam Sau and Wong Ting Fat, alias Wong Kau Chai, had followed Luk Sang, and as they had seen Luk Sang robbed and then murdered they in turn received the same fate at the hands of the prisoners who feared they might raise

A search was instituted and several days elansed before the three dead bodies were found on the hillside above Shatin by an old farmer named Wong Shau, who was the father of one of the loys, and uncle of the other. Their threats were cut and their queues partly tom off their heads, and other parts of their bodies were terribly

A number of witnesses were called, and the case was adjourned.

CORRESPONDENCE.

VOLUNTEER UNIFORM.

(To the Editor of the "CHINA MAIL.") Sir-It would be interesting to know what is the regulation mess dress of the Volunteers. Last night at Government House I noticed three Volunteer Officers, all in different kits-one was all in blue, another all in white and the third, as if to strike the happy medium, were white overalls and blue jasket. Now they can't all three be right, and the man in all blue was certainly wrong, as the other officers of the garrison were all is summer

Possibly they want to show what a devil of a lot of kit they have, don't cher know. and if that is so I would suggest as another DERHAPS you believe you will be able combination that of only Wellingtons and turb the tranquility of the neighbourhood, to throw off every cold you contract. a waistcoat. Surely there ought to be

Hongkong, April 14

THE BOYCOTT.

Mr Ng Hon Chi, of the Yuan Fat Hong, whose name was quoted yesterday states that he was not the man who made the remark concerning the boycott, but that it was made by some other gentleman.

A remarkable feature which has made itself apparent in the vernacular papers both here and at Canton is the sudden disappearance of the word beycott, for which however is substituted such words as "Developing China's natural resources to oust a trade, &c." But the settlement of the Tatsu Maru II case is forcefully being brought before the public and the work of the National Disgrace Association is dwelt on and encouraged extensively.

Advice from Fatshan states that both the marine product dealers and restaurants have conjointly undertaken to use no alien meats. Here the words-Japanese goods -are carefuly avoided.

The success of the National Disgrace Association at Sam Sui and Hohow has lead to the opening of similar Associations at Sainam, and villages and towns beyond, where officials are few and far between and as a consequence the work of stirring up the populace is more effective.

At Canton the Self-Government Society meet almost on alternate days to strengthan the already strong movement. The announcement that the Imperial Chinese Telegraph Administration has refused to accept telegrams relating to the boycott has given rise to a deal of discatisfaction and excitement in Canton, says our Canton letter of yesterday, but it is generally understood that, as in the case of the captured steamer, something influential from certain quarters has been brought to bear on the administrator, who, like the Vicercy hi self, cannot get out of it. Such actions only add fut to the fire.

The following reply from a Japanese firm in Japan to the Canton Translating Mireau, which dealt largely is Japanese stationery and which has written to stop order, is interesting " " Dear Sire It is most regrettable that the incident of the Tatsu Maru II case should have led to a breach of friendship between the morchants of two nations We sincerely hope that the matter will be settled and that business will resume as of old."

WHAT IS A LODGINGHOUSE?

It is proposed to amend the definition of what constitutes a lodging house in the noon. The Hon. Mr E. A. Irving, who is acting as Registrar General, pointed out that the present definition was made so widethat it included a great many premises it was never intended to include. houses for which it was intended to logislate were coolie houses but many other premises were now included and every now and then the question came up for discussion at the Board which assumed a discretion it did not legally possess, and decided not to enforce the law as it stood. He further is ggested that the bye-laws might be amended with utility. They were obviously adopted from the regulations for common lodging houses in England and he did not think such a thing existed in Hengkong as a common lodging house. The searest approach to it was an opium

A MERCHANT'S AF SAIRS.

Cheung Kin Ho, Judgment creditors,

were plaintiffs in anaction which was heard before Mr H. H. Gompertz, acting Puisne Judge at the Supreme Court to-day, in Summary Jurisdiction, against Chenng Sing Chai and others, Judgment delitors, and Soon Yan Kee of No 112 Station Street, Mong Kok Tsu, gamishee, for the recovery of \$146.80 being balance for goods supplied. Mr J. H. Gardiner appeared for the plaintiffs and Mr H, K. Holmes defended. The managing partner in the Cheung Kin Ho firm said, that he closed the business at the end of August, 1905. He produced the ledger showing the amount due which was for rice, etc. He received some money on account in January and an entry was made in debtor's book and signed by him. Plaintiff called again and was put off by debtor and on a subsequent visit an offer was made to settle the account for \$30. He had later to leave the Colony on

hands of an accountant. Father evidence was called and His Lordship gave judgment for the creditors.

account of illness and left his books in the

ALLEGED NIGHT DISTUR-BANCE.

The adjourned case against Miss Olive Hale, of 23 Lyndhurst Terrace, who was summoned for keeping a disorderly house attitude. between the hours of 12 midnight and 3 a m. came before Mr Kemp at the Magistracy to-day. The Crown Solicitor Mr Bowley appeared

to presecute, and Mr P. W. Goldring for the defence. The Crown Solicitor said he understood

to hear his argument first. Mr Goldring submitted that the Ordinance did not apply to private houses, or individuals and only applied to street noises. If his Worship held that the Ordinance did apply it would be going much further than ance to the subject of the seizure of the ling vote in favour of the Government. authorities have come to know that a great the law at Home, and people would not be Tatsu Maru. The Portuguese Government A non-party vote was next unanimously many messages have passed between morallowed to play musical instruments, sing, I through their Charge d'Affaires at Poking or talk after sunset. A constable was not and their Consulat Canton, have presented carried in favour of preference for British to be the judge and there must be com-

plaints from the neighbours. as it might not be necessary to have cor- has jurisdiction. roborative evidence Mr Bowley contended that it was an offence so long as it was calculated to disand on that point they had the evidence of

the Indian constable. The case was adjourned until Wednes-

TEADACHE occurs in many forms and I is produced by various causes. There are sick headsohe, bilious headache, persons headache, etc. Stearns Headache lany plaster. For sale by all chemists and Ours cures all.

Press.

DEATH OF MR RENNIE.

BODY FOUND IN THE HARBOUR.

Just as we go to press we learn that the body of Mr A. H. Rennie, manager and founder of the Junk Bay flour mills, found floating in Lycemoon Pass this very high opinion of the personal character At this late hour it is impossible to put aside all objections in order that gather the details of the sad occurrence but it is stated that Mr Ronnie accidentally feli overboard from his launch.

Mr Reunio goes to Junk Bay mills every afternoon on the launch "Canada" and usually rings up on the telephone when he arrives. This afternoon he left usual but when we made enquiries after five o'clock he had not communicated with the office. In fact the appearance of a CHINA MAIL represeniative at the office of the mills to make enquiries was the first notification that the staff had that anything was amiss.

We now understand that Mr Rennie accidentally fell overboard from his launch, Canada, whilst going to Junk Bay, and his body was picked up by the launch after a soarch. Life was extinct, and the body was taken

to the Kowloon Mortuary. Mr Chard, of the Milling Company, was on board the launch at the time.

AT HOME" AT GOVERNMENT HOUSE.

The concluding musical "At Home" a series of four, was given at Government House last night, when the programme classical selections arranged by Lady Lugard was even more enjoyable than its just now is Mr Lloyd George. In comforerunners. The artistes were all well known efficient musiciaus and among them was Baroness von Hutten, (Authoress of precedence the office this time is in Mr to honour herdrafts? "Pam") who is a guest at Government House and whose abilities as a vocalist were proved beyond the shadow of a doubt. Mr Frank Grove, the engineer-in-chief the Canton section of the railway, also enhanced his reputation, in his base solos. Mr Grove was also the 'celloist in a trip with Mrs Grove (piano) and Mrs Murray

The programme was as follows:--Mr and Mrs Grove Mrs Murray Rev. M. Longridge Concerte (For two Pianos) Mrs Grove

'Celle Solo 'Chant sans pareles' (Mr. G. Koenig Songs..... 'A Legend'; Hutten For Two Danse de la Fén MraCoch Dragée '

Part Song Springtime

Pianos Valse des Fleurs, Mr Fuller ('No word from thee ') Mr Grove Part Song...... 'Ichahod'....

THE TATSU MARU II CASE.

Opinions in Europe.

The European press (March) did to egard as possible any serious outcome the situation with regard to the Tatau Maru scizure. It was taken for granted that the Powers would make it clear in Tokyo that they would resent any disturbance of the peace in the Far East on so trivial a pretext.

passed as to the methods attributed to Japan, the opinion being expressed that the matter was not one of such vital importance as to call for instant settlement. and that Japan, being confident in the justice of her case, might very well submit it to arbitration without prejudging the verdict by demanding an apology and an indomnity beforehand.

It was binted in Paris that the Tatsu Marn incident was being used as a mere peg one speaker, 'as for instance in the case of on to all bedrooms, and the hotel is lighted on which to hang Japanese resentment at the stitude of China towards the proposed Manchurian railway, and as an opportunity captured 90 per cent of the trade, --to impose the predominance of Japanese that although Japan has got so much of authority over the action of the Chinese the trade of the Yangtse yet her ships bathing is excellent. Government.

In Berlin the general feeling was that Japan had shown too aggressive an

In Russia the majority of the nation are indifferent to anything that might happen in the Far East, on which it is considered more than enough blood and treasure have been vainly expended. In the case of serious trouble between Japan and China, that his friend, Mr Goldring was going to | says a St. Petersburg correspondent, the raise certain points and it would be better first-Russian step would be to close the Each side managed to bring in one or an overwhelming alien population to the detriment of Russian residents.

in Lisbon political and official circles are disposed to attach but little import. (10 to 10) and the speaker gave his casta protest to the Chinese Government, in trade. vior of the possibility of the seizure having His Worship: The noise might be such | been made in waters over which Portugal

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THE PREMIER'S HEALTH.

The King Visits the Patient.

(From Our Correspondent.) Leydon, March 10.

in the sick room of the Premier. This was the more sincere compliment because the King loathes influenza and if anyone within range of him is known to have symptoms of it as a rule they have to retire till they are quite well. The King has, however, a of Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman and he might see him before going to the Continent. The Promier's heart is still giving tomble and he is weak after influenza. Taken in conjunction with his age it is not likely that he will over again take a very active part in politics. The re-shuffling of portfollos at this inomeni would be extremely awkward in view of the contentious measures now under way in the House, so it will be Easter before there is any change, unless Sir Henry gets worse in the meantime.

IN THE POLITICAL AREVA.

the House to look after, is being treated very kindly by all sections who realise that he is doing a very decent best and anyway is working fifteen hours a day. When the change takes place it is certain that Mr Winston Churchill will take Cabinet rank, The "Spectator" pays a compliment to Mr John Burns to-day by suggesting that either he or Mr John Morley should be made Chancellor of the Exchequer when either appointment med be anticipated though. John Burns may have the infaguation for the post, and he has shown up. The most popular man in the Cabinet of Japanmercial circles he is looked to as a future Premier, though it is admitted that in draw upon our alliance, are we not bound Asquith's right. The tact and spirit Mr. Lupton (Lincolnshire, Sleaford) of conciliation possessed by Mr Lloyd Not in accordance with the terms of the George were never dreamt of when apouting lot speeches, but he has been able to settle two or three disputes between capital and labour and he has carried through the new Patents Act, which forces to get the protection of British patents.

I have mentioned this in my letters before, but since then other firms have bound to carry it out, he opposed the come in from abroad, the latest being the motion for reduction. makers of an American patent razor, who will settle in works at Sheffield.

The extreme Labour Party will, by the way, try to show their dislike for John ! Burns in his new character by ousting him from his seat in Battersea. Mr Ramsay Macdonald, M. P. is to stir up the local critics of John Burns this week and it may very well be that when the next election comes John Burns will return the compliment by standing against Ramssay Macdonald in Leicester.

Y.M.C.A. DEBATING SOCIETY.

ference to British Shipping against Foreign Bounty-aided vessels was the occasion of a more interesting dobate than the title seemed to promise, and much useful information was brought before the house. As samples the following items might be mentioned: that 62 percent of shipping is delay. still British; that the German taxpayer is growing thoroughly dissatisfied with the system of taking money from his pocket In Paris and Berlin some criticism was to put it into those of a few shipping firms: that German steamers trading between Hamburg and Hongkong or the Kanakura, on the Enoshins tramway and South Sem purchase their sugar for the voyage, at Southampton; that the way in The new hotel is built on the site of the which Japan is shooting to the fore along the whole coast between Nagasaki and Bombay on the one hand and Nagasaki and all the rooms facing the see have private let the field be open and conditions fair room, card rooms, billiard room and lounge. and we would fear no one ' said more than The lavatories and bathrooms are under a the present voyages, where the British had easy of necess, as special express trains there were largely built in Britain, that goods can be carried theaper from New York to Melbourne than from New York to Charleston owing to the United States Navigation Act restricting her own coasted

trade to her own vessels. At the close of the debate the Government and Opposition Whips were particularly busy in the lobby looking up absent members as a close vote was expected. called for. This made the voting level

with His Excellency the Governor and the West. River patrol question and the announced his intention of appealing to beyout against communication afforded by the country. Now parties will be formed the Imperial Telegraphs, and notice is | SOLE and a new Premier take the reins of office specially issued in order to stop merchants for the summer session. Next Monday taking part in politics. week will be open to the public, when THE average home is frequently in need Mr Lowry will introduce a Bill to tax

> to got along without Stearns' Wine of God Liver Oil, but what's the use of going from neuralgicand sciatics. The exercist 31. Queen's Road Central. through life and missing all the good ing pains characteristic of these diseases

TELEGRAMS TO AFRICA.

The Eastern Extension Telepraph Co. announce that by the opening yesterday fall of one sixteenth. of a new cable between Batavia and Cocos (which also affords an alternative routs to Europe and to Australasia at existing rates) Before he left London His Majesty did more direct route to Africa is not a very kindly act in spending half an hour available, at generally reduced rates. This

THE ANGLO-JAPANESE ALLIANCE.

Great Britain and China.

new link should be very valuable.

In the House of Commons on March ! n the course of the discussion on a motion by Mr M. Macdonald to reduce the Navy vote by 8.000 men.

Mr Smeaton (Stirlingshire) expressed his surprise that his hon. friend had thought fit to raise this discussion again after the vote of the other evening. The one question which overshadowed all the other questions of his hon, friend was the reason | March 27. This has been refused on acfor the increase over the two-Power standard both in men and ships. One reason for maintaining not only the two-Power standard, but also the margin his Japanese Exchequer Bonds issued during Meanwhile Mr Asquith, with the Budget, the Licensing Bill, and the leadership of right hon, friend had taken, was to be found in our agreements with foreign countries. (Hear, hear.) We were bound But they are believed to be insufficient to to fulfil our contracts, and one

most important of them the Anglo-Japanese Alliance. Under obligations were practically world wide. During the continuance of that W. G. Armstrong, Whitworth and Comagreement we were responsible for the defence of the independence and integrity | assigned as session to £650,000, and ha of China. When it was considered that the Cabinet is rearranged. I do not think certain Powers were anticipating the ago he inherited a fortune of £2,000,000.

possible disruption of the Chinese Empire, it could be conjectured what was the responsibility lying on this country. The political atmosphere in which Japan moved his administrative ability, even to the in- was charged with elements of danger, and creasing satisfaction of his opponents, but trouble might arise at any moment. We I doubt if his ability to handle masses of were therefore bound to be ready, and for this reason he opposed the motion tooth figures is sufficient for the suggested step and nail. We were the political bankers | Figg of the Hongkong Observatory :--

Mr J. Ward (Stoke-on Trent): We do not support a Navy to keep Japan. Mr. Smeaton: If Japa chooses to China Sea.

Mr. Smeaton said that was his opinion he was going up and down the country formed after a very careful study of the treaty, and, in addition, he had had means of ascertaining the views taken by Japanese statesmen of the alliance. Therefore he maintained that a margin of reserve in our naval strangth above that of mere foreign firms to settle works in England insurance was a sheer necessity in our present condition, and as a Liberal, and on Liberal principles, believing that, having made a solemn promise, we were

THE CANTON HANKOW RAILWAY.

The Proposed Bank.

(From Our Correspondent.)

CANTON, April 12. The usual committee meeting was held here yesterday. Nothing important has transpired. The business was mainly about the formation of a milway bank. Mr Lan Soi Chak, of the Kung Yuan At the Y. M. C. A. Parliament last Firm, Hongkong, who has been appointed night, Captain Baker's Bill to give pre- by the shareholders to carry out the bank For sale by all chemists and storekeepers. formation scheme, having no money at his command, cannot go on. Nevertheless he has promised to accept the post and it i expected that as soon as the second call which is to be made shortly, brings in sufficient money he will start without

NEW HOTEL IN JAPAN. Those contemplating a visit to Japan will find in our columns an announcement relating to the opening of a new hotel at close to the famous Kamakura Daibutsu. old Kaihin-In, and is extremely well appointed. It contains 42 bedrooms, and Melbourne on the other is something for rerandahs. There is a large entrance hall. Britain to fear for it is unfair competition - lofty dining room, drawing room, writing supplying the American fleet with coal on throughout with electricity. The hotel is run from Tokio and Yokohama. The surrounding country abounds in beautiful walks and interesting temples, and the sea

CHINESE TELEGRAPHS.

A New Restriction.

(From Our Correspondent.) CANTON, April 12.

A notice has been issued by order of the Board of Posts and Communications that all messages through the Imperial Chinese Telegraph Co. are in future to be free port of Vladivostock, which benefits two extras, one Government supporter written in open cyphers, with the Chinese appearing just as the division had been characters on the side of each figure to explain the meaning of such messages. Otherwise they will not be accepted for transmission. The fact is that the Peking chants relating to politics, and it is the intention of the Peking Government to suppress this sort of messages. The trouble The Premier had previously consulted arising from the Kinngsu loan question,

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The . money market with the .Chinese continues duil. The day-to-day rate of interest remains unchanged at 13/14 cents per \$1000 per day on current deposita.

The following transactions took place in the yarn market yesterday, says a native market report: 50 bales of yarn No. 10 were rold at 804; same number of bales of No. 20 changed hands at \$114.50; and 50 bales of No. 10 and No. 16 were put through at \$92.50 and \$101.80 respectively.

The total output of the Chinese Engineering and Mining Company's three mines for the weak ending 28th March, 1908, amounted to 27,337.82 tons and the sales during the period to 26,274.25 tons.

There is considerable excitement among the nationalist party at Tuticoria owing to the refusal of the Port authorities to grant clearance to the Swadeshi Steam Navigation Company's steamer Gallia on the Tuticoria-Colombo run, says a Madras notification of count of the vessel not having a full com plement of officers and no proper certificate.

The terms for the redemption of the the war says the "Japan Gazette," are feared to be tantamount to conversion and characterized to be unnecessarily attractive. relieve the existing depression. Exchange circles prove unenthusiastic.

Lord Amstrong, a shareholder in the ship-building and iron-working firm of Sir pany Ltd., of Newcastle-on-Tyne, has assets total only £147,000. A few years Lord Armstrong is no longer a director of Sir W. G. Armstrong, Whitworth and

WEATHER REPORT.

The following notice is issued by Mr On the 14th at 11.50 a. The barometer is inclined to fall at all stations, particularly at those around the N. part of the

Pressure is still high over China to the North of the Yangtze, and relatively low over the China Sea.

Fresh tostrong N. E. and E. winds may be expected in the Formosa Channel and the N. part of the China Sea. Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inches. Forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon

to-morrow. FORECAST DISTRICT. 1.—Hongkong and Neighbourhood: E. winds, fresh or strong; cloudy, misty. 2.—Formosa Channel: N. E. winds

3.—South coast of China between Hongkong and Iamocks: Saine as No. 1. 4.—South coast of China between Hong. kong and Hainan : Same as No. 1.

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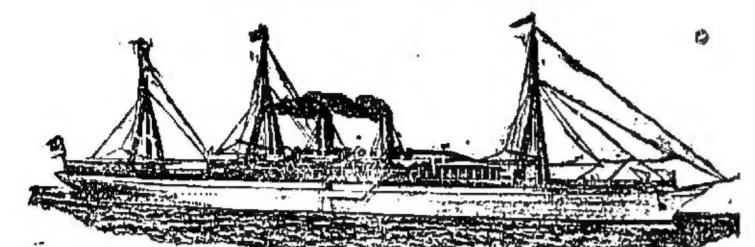
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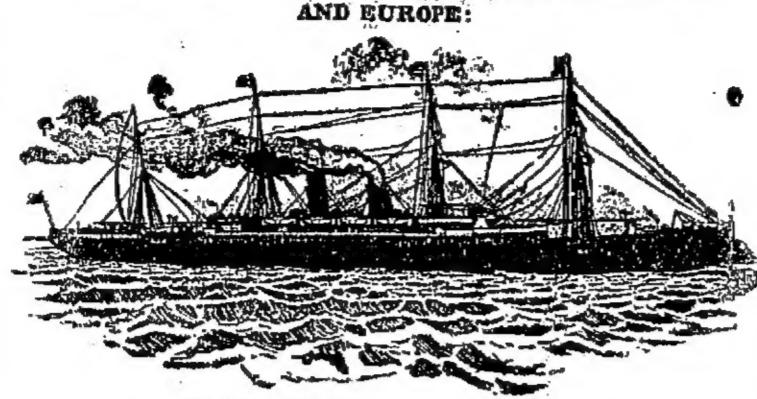
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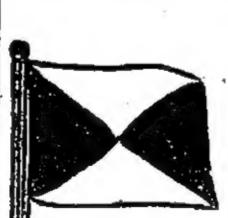
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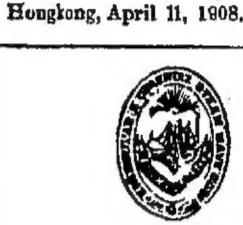
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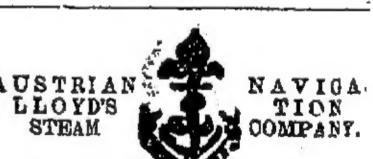


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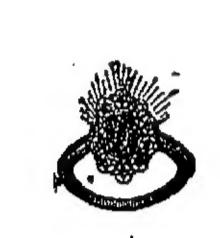
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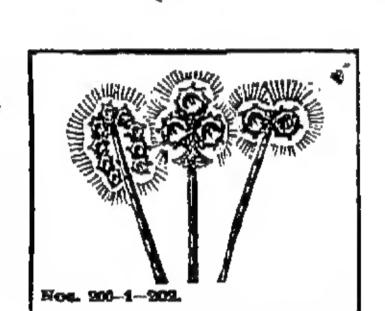
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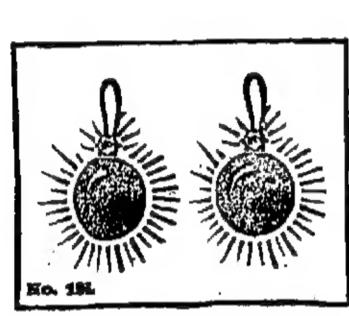




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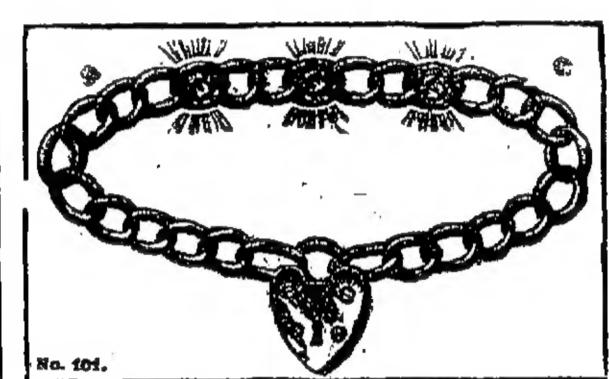
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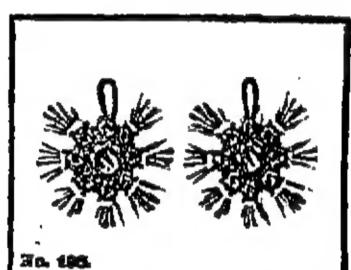
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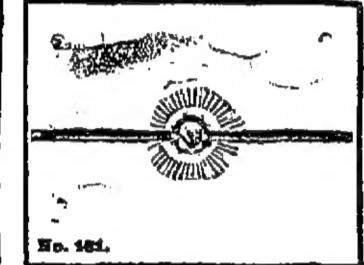
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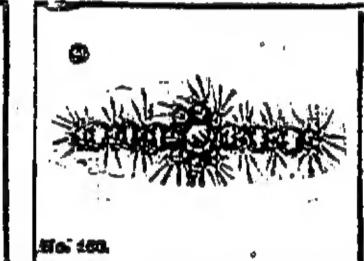
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THE Steamship Glenearn having arrived from the above ports, Consigness of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Whariand Godown 00., Limited, at Kowloon, where each consign-ment will be sorted out mark by mark,

and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed. Goods not cleared by the 20th Inst., will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.
All Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 18th Inst., at 11a.m. No claims will be recognised if not presented within 14 days of the shin's arrival. McGREGOR BROS. & GOW. Hongkong, April 13, 1908.

AMERICAN AND ORIENTAL LINE. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. THE STEAMSHIP HEADLEY.

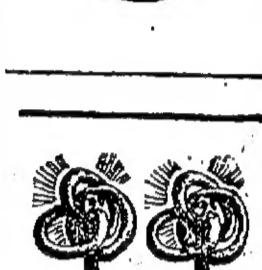
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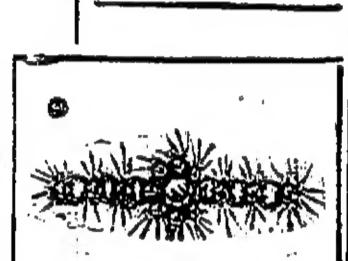
named vessel are hereby informed of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are that all Goods are being landed at their being landed and stored at their risks risk into the hazardous and/or extra luto the hazardous and/or extra hazar. hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong dons Godowns of the Honorone & Kow and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Id., LOON WHARP and GODOWN COMPANY, LTD., Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained. All Broken, Chafed, and Damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they Optional Cargo will be forwarded on will be oramined on the 18th instant, at

Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods Bills of Lading will be countersigned by remaining undelivered after the 18th inst. All Claims against the Steamer must be at Noon, will be subject to rent and presented to the Undersigned on or before the 22nd last, or they will not be re-

No Fire Insurance will be effected. An Average Bond lying at our Office must be signed by the consignees before Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & CO. Hongkong, April 13, 1908.





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PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM SAN FRANCISCO, HONOLULU JAPAN AND SHANGHAL

MONSIONEES of CARGO per Steamship The above mentioned Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby notified to send in their Bills of Lading for

countersignature, and to take immediate delivery from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed at once at Consignees' risk and expense. Cargo remaining on board after FRI

DAY, April 17th, 1968, at 5 p.m., will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and extience. No Fire Insurance will be effected. All Cargo undelivered at Noon, TUES.

DAY, April 21st, 1908, will be subject to All chafed and otherwise damaged cargo will be examined at the above Company's Godown on SATURDAY, April 18th, at 10 a.m.

S. SILVERSTONE,

Hopgkong, April 14, 1908.

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Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

EXCLUSIVE OF LATE ARRIVALE AND DEPARTURES REPORTED TO-DAY.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven Sections, commencing from Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked h., near the Kowloon shore k., and those in the body of the Shipping of midway between each shore are marked c., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections. Section.

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7. From Naval Yard to Blue Bullding. 8. From Blue Buildings to East Point. 9. From Kellet's Island to North Point. 10. Rowloon Wharves. 11. Jardine's Wharf.

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STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The P. & O. Co.'s s.s. Oceana with the ENGLISH MAIL of the 20th March, left Singapore on Saturday, the 11th a pril, at 8 a.m., and may be expected here on or about Wednesday, the 15th For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. April, at about 3 p m. This packet brings replies to letters desputched from "ongkong on the 18th February. and the parcel mails closed in London for despatch by the all sea route on the 11th inst. and for despatch overland on the 18th inst.

The U. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Lennox left Yoko hams on Monday afternoon, the 6th April, for Victoria and Vancouver. The Imp German Mail s.s. Prinz Eilel Friedrich carrying the German Mails with dates from Berlin of the 24th March, left Co'ombo on Friday, the 10th April, p.m., and may be expected here on or about Tuesday, the 21st

Cripshank, Messrs G. E. M. reer, J. E. The P. M. S. S. Manchuria sailed fr m Kobe on the 12th April, and is due to arrive at this port on the 21st April. M. Bee and 2 children Mr and Mrs U. R. The Imp. German Mail's.s. Prinz Sigismund left Sydney on Thursday, the 9th April, at 10 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Saturday, the 2nd May.

The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Empress of India arrived at Shanghai at 7 30 p.m. on Sunday, the 12th April, and left again at 5 a.m. on Monday for Nagasaki, where she is due to arrive at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, the 14th April.

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The N. Y. K. s s. Kanagawa Maru (Euand Mrs D. P. Burke, Messra R. B. Roropean Line) left Singapore for this binson, W. A. Williams, Jose Amilivia, port on the 10th April, and is expected ners on the 16th April. The N. Y. K. s.s. Shinano Mara (American Line) left Kobe for this port via Moji Per Australian, for Shanghai, Dr and

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Mrs Monsen, Mr A. Moir, Mr A. Haimon, and Shanghai on the 10th April, and Mr Kim, Rev. P. B. Gimenez, Miss M. is expected here on the 19th April. Gibson, Mr E. Fregolini, Mr and Mrs W. The Austrian Lloyd's s.s. China left Sin-H. Boden; for Kobe, Mr Geo. Rosewall gapore for this port on the 10th April, and is due here on the 16th April. for Yokohama, Mr E. Lund, Mr and Mrs Mareillac, Mr and Mrs Pasquier, and Mr The N. Y. K. s.s. Tolomi Moru (Bombay Line) left Moji for this port on the

AT THE WHARVES. The steamship Swazi left Singapore on The steamer Glenearn berthed at No. 3 Wharf, Kowloon, to-day,

GENERAL. The China from San Francisco arrived this morning with a number of passengers and general cargo.

The Nikko Mara (Capt. T. L. Harrison)

arrived from Japan this morning on the

way to Australia. The Indo-China steemer Yuensang (Capt. Rolfe) arrived from Manila this morning after a beautiful passage across the China Sea. The weather was fine and clear, with a smooth sea all the way over.

The Boston S. S. Co.'s s.s. Tremont arrived at Vi oria, B.C., on 11th April. The Imp. German Mail s.s. Princess Alice which left here on Wednesday, the 8th April, at noon, arrived at Singa- Mr P. R. Adams pore on the 12th April, at 4 p.m. Mr A. Aftalion Mc & Mrs J. Allan

POST OFFICE NOTICES. Mails will close:-

For SAIGON .-Per Standard, at 9 a.m., on Wednesday, Miss S. Bisney the 15th April. FOR SWATOW & BANGKOK .-Por Kehsichang, at 9 a.m., on Wednes-

day, the 15th March. For CALLAO (Peru). Per Chatham, at 11 a.m., on Wednesday the 15th April. For SWATOW & SHANGHAL .-

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Per Haitan, at noon, on Wednesday, the 16th April. For MACAO. -Per Sui Tai, at 1.15 p.m., on Wednes day, the 15th April.

For SAIGON .-Per Derwent, at 3 p.m., on Wednesday. the 15th April. For MANILA .-Per Taming, at 3 p.m., on Wednesday,

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For TIENTSIN. --Per Chipshing, at 11 a.m., on Thursday the 16th April. For BANGKOK .-

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CUTTA.-Per Laisang, at 2 p.m., on Thursday, the 16th April. For SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA, KOBE, MOJI & NAGASAKI. Per Gregory Apcar, at 2 p.m., on Thurs-

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